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determining whether or not the time measured at the time measuring step is less than a predetermined value; and determining whether or not to recognize the first and second inputs as one continuous input based at least upon whether the time is judged to be less than the predetermined value, wherein coordinates at a lower right hand corner of the first input face are set as an end of a selected range for a first screen and coordinates at an upper left hand corner of the second input face are set as an origin of a selected range for a second screen.

8. A coordinate input method for inputting coordinate information of a plurality of input areas by specifying coordinate positions comprises the steps of:

providing first and second distinct coordinate input areas in which coordinates may be input via a pointer, wherein the first input area comprises a first coordinate system and the second input area comprises a second coordinate system different from the first coordinate system;

determining whether or not a first input in the first input area ended within a predetermined region of the first input area; and

determining whether or not to recognize the first input, and a second input in the second input area performed subsequent to the first input, as a continuous input based at least upon whether the first input is determined to have ended in the first input area within the prede-

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termined region, and wherein said first and second input faces are spaced apart and physically separated from one another and wherein coordinates at a lower right hand corner of the first input face are set as an end of a selected range for a first screen and coordinates at an upper left hand corner of the second input face are set as an origin of a selected range for a second screen.

9. A coordinate input apparatus for inputting coordinate information of a plurality of input faces by specifying coordinate positions, comprising:

a processor for determining whether or not a position where a first input has been ended on a first input face is within a predetermined region;

said processor further determining whether or not to recognize the first input and a second input following the first input, on a second input face that is spaced from the first input face, as one continuous input based at least upon whether the position where the first input has been ended is determined to be within the predetermined region; and

wherein coordinates at a lower right hand corner of the first input face are set as an end of a selected range for a first screen and coordinates at an upper left hand corner of the second input face are set as an origin of a selected range for a second screen.

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